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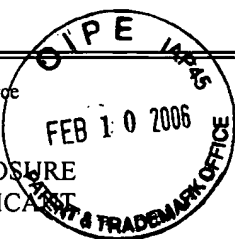
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	ASM Specialty Handbook Aluminum and Aluminum Alloys, ASM Int'l pages 309-320 (1993).

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